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APPLICANTS :	Tooke, N. et al.	CONFIRMATION NUMBER :	2533
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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In reply to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action mailed August 9, 2007, Applicants submit herewith this Amendment and Response. A petition for a one-month extension of time (up to and including October 9, 2007) and the necessary fee are enclosed. Entry and consideration of this Response is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.